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Appendix 1 Population demographics for the city of Toronto, ON and Portland, OR and reported COVID-19 outbreaks and case numbers during the study period (June – August 2020) for the city of Toronto, ON and Multnomah County (Portland, OR)

Toronto			Portland		
Demographic	Persons		Demographic	Persons	
Total Population	2 731 571		Total Population	654 741	
Sex			Sex		
Female	1 409 490	(51.6%)	Female	329 990	(50.4%)
Age			Age		
0-9	271 025	(9.9%)	< 5 years	34 701	(5.3%)
10-29	700 325	(25.6%)	< 18 years	116 544	(17.8%)
30-64	1 333 280	(48.8%)	> 65 years	83 807	(12.8%)
65-79	300 300	(11.0%)	Remaining Population (presumably 18-65 years)	454 390	(69.4%)
80+	126 635	(4.6%)			
Ethnic Origin			Ethnic Origin		
European	1 288 855	(40.5%)	White	462 247	(70.6%)
Asian	1 079 290	(33.9%)	Hispanic/Latino	63 510	(9.7%)
Other North American	345 705	(10.9%)	Asian	53 689	(8.2%)
Caribbean	165 735	(5.2%)	Black/African American	37 975	(5.8%)
African	146 870	(4.6%)	Two or More Races	34 701	(5.3%)
Latin/Central/South American	113 815	(3.6%)	American Indian/Alaskan Native	5 238	(0.8%)
North American Aboriginal	35 630	(1.1%)	Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander	3 928	(0.6%)
Oceania	5 790	(0.2%)			
Outbreak Type	Cases	(n=3465)	Outbreak Type	Cases	(n=4795)
Sporadic *	2928	(84.5%)	Not Specified	4795	(100.0%)
Outbreak Associated †	537	(15.5%)			
Wave 1: March – April 2020			Wave 1: June – August 2020 ‡		
City of Toronto, ON census information obtained from Statistics Canada 2016 Census ²⁵ Portland, OR census information obtained from United States Census Bureau (2019) ²⁶ Toronto, ON COVID outbreak and case count information obtained from City of Toronto website ²⁷ Multnomah County (Portland, OR) COVID case count information obtained from Portland Government website ²⁸					

* Cases in general population not associated with an outbreak (i.e. households or contact with travel related case)

† Outbreaks within a defined group or setting (i.e. long term care, workplaces, schools)

‡ <https://www.mulco.us/novel-coronavirus-covid-19/regional-covid-19-data-dashboard>

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